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SUBJECT: VISIT OF OAS SEC GEN

OAS SEC GEN ORFILA'S VISIT TO HAITI JULY 25-28 WAS LARGELY CEREMONIAL BUT IT SERVED TO UNDERSCORE FOR HIM RESIDUAL HAITIAN SKEPTICISM THAT OAS COULD OR WOULD PROVIDE HAITI WITH ANY SUBSTANTIAL DEVELOPMENTAL AID. ORFILA WAS ALSO STRUCK BY PRESIDENT DUVALIER'S CONCERN, EXPRESSED IN PRIVATE CONVERSATION, OVER RISK OF CUBAN-SUPPORTED SUBVERSION. IN CONCLUDING PRESS CONFERENCE, ORFILA MADE USEFUL POINT THAT IN FUTURE, US PUBLIC AND CONGRESS WOULD PAY INCREASING ATTENTION TO HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES IN ASSESSING FOREIGN ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS. HAITIAN OFFICIALS LONG SKEPTICAL OF OAS' RELEVANCE TO THEIR COUNTRY'S ECONOMIC NEEDS APPEARED IMPRESSED WITH SEC GEN'S DIRECT MANNER AND OBVIOUS SINCERITY IN SEEKING TO MAKE OAS A MORE VITAL INSTRUMENT OF COOPERATION. THEY WILL NOW BE LOOKING FOR RESULTS.
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